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	2	THEIR ATTORNEYS OF RECORD:										
	3	Plaintiff OSCAR RIVAS (herinafter "RIVAS") and Defendants										
	4	METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY (herinafter "MET LIFE"), by										
	5	and through their respective counsel of record, hereby stipulate and respectfully										
	6	request that the Plaintiff's counsel appear telephonically for the December 2, 2005										
	7	Case Management Conference as counsel's principal place of business is located in										
	8	Ontario, California.										
	9	For the reasons stated above, IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND										
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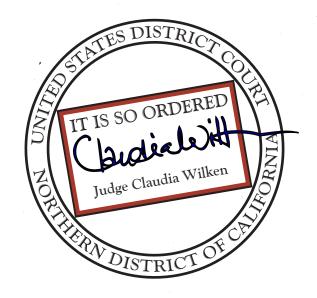
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#### PROOF OF SERVICE

# STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO

I am employed in the county of Los Angeles, State of California. I am over the age of 18 and not a party to the within action; my business address is: 3257 E. Guasti Road, Suite 300, Ontario, CA 91761.

On November 21, 2005, I served the foregoing document described as STIPULATION TO APPEAR TELEPHONICALLY FOR DECEMBER 2, 2005 CASE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE AND [PROPOSED] ORDER on all interested parties in this action by placing a true copy thereof enclosed in sealed envelopes addressed as follows:

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Attorney for Defendants

## [X] BY MAIL

I caused such envelope to be deposited in the mail at Ontario, California. The envelope was mailed with postage thereon fully prepaid. I am "readily familiar" with this firm's practice of collection and processing correspondence for mailing. It is deposited with U.S. postal service on that same day in the ordinary course of business. I am aware that on motion of party served, service is presumed invalid if postal cancellation date or postage meter date is more than 1 day after date deposit for mailing in affidavit.

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I caused to be delivered by hand to the above-listed addressees or to the addressees on the list attached hereto. A proof of service executed by the delivery person will be mailed under separate cover.

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I declare that I am employed in the office of a member of the bar of this court at whose direction the service was made. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of California that the above is true and correct.

Executed on November 21, 2005, at Ontario, California.

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